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SUBJECT : External Research Trip to Western  
Europe, April 27 - June 30, 1959

1. Thank you very much for the opportunity to read the draft overseas trip report on this subject. I and other members of this Office have read it with much interest and hope that ERD will be able to capitalize on some of the potential offered in Western European research facilities.

2. In the context of our training responsibility only, we here are particularly interested in the results of those areas of research which relate to:

a. Communism, and the Sino-Soviet Bloc; and

b. preparation of American personnel for effective performance overseas, with special reference to the Middle East, Africa, the Far East, and Southeast Asia.

3. To be somewhat more specific, some subjects of current interest include: problems of new nationalism, problems of Communism, organization of the foreign services of the Arab countries, Chinese Communist and Soviet Russian aid programs, training and education of foreign students in China and the USSR, handbooks on African languages, ethnographic surveys of Africa, and other similar, contemporary subjects in the economic, political, and sociological field.

4. I hope you will make available to us copies of the subject report in its final form so that we may follow through, if appropriate, on items of particular interest.

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